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Transmitted herewith is a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

Entitled: BAG SPLITTER AND WET SEPARATOR

- ☒ 1. Submitted herewith are the following:

15 pages of specification.

☒ Abstract.

3 sheet(s) of drawings.

16 claim(s).

☐ Oath/Declaration signed by each inventor.☒ Application Data Sheet.☒ Preliminary Amendment.☐ Information Disclosure Statement(s).☐ pages of Form PTO-1449, and one copy of each document listed thereon.☐ Assignment of the invention, Cover Sheet, and payment of the \$ _____ recordal fee.☐ certified copy of application no. _____ filed in _____. Priority is claimed.☒ check in the amount of \$740.00 including any assignment recordal fee.

- ☐ 2. SMALL ENTITY STATUS IS ASSERTED pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27 for this application.

- ☒ 3. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.

- ☐ 4. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: - - This application claims the benefit of provisional application number _____ filed _____, - -

- ☐ 5. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: - - This application is a Continuation-in-part of nonprovisional application number _____ filed _____. - -

- ☐ 6. Other: _____

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